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Greenbelt Junior High Wins Freedom Foundation Award

Greenbelt Junior High School achieved national recognition last month when the Freedom Foundation of Valley Forge, Pa., awarded it the coveted George Washington medal. And Greenbelt Junior High was in distinguished company. Others among the 922 national winners were Col. John H. Glenn, first American to orbit the earth, Gen. Lauris Norstad, and FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover.

The medal was bestowed in recognition of the citizenship-building efforts of Greenbelt Junior High School in conducting an enthusiastic political rally during the last gubernatorial campaign when both Governor Tawes and Mr. Small made their only joint public appearance.

The entire school, and at times even part of our community, took part in the rally.

The GREENBELT NEWS REVIEW carried stories on the "Get Out the Registration Campaign" carried out by social study classes, the writing of invitations to the candidates by the English department, the writing of the songs by the music department, the superb work of the band, the tea served to Governor Tawes, Congressman Lankford, Mayor White, and other distinguished guests by the home

economics department, the making of hats by the art department, and the constructing of election booths by the industrial arts department.

Mr. Whittaker, faculty advisor to the project, singled out Barbara Bowman, 14-23 Laurel Hill, for special recognition. She not only was chairman of the entire rally, but was in great measure responsible for the success of the entire program.

Barbara organized the student body into precincts, with precinct captains meeting after school twice per week, helped obtain adequate publicity including coverage by four T.V. stations, photographers and reporters from Washington and Baltimore papers as well as the Associated Press, arranged radio coverage, oversaw the writing of all invitations to candidates, and wrote her own speeches for the program.

Other Greenbelters deserving special recognition are Earl Zubkoff, David Weiner, Rebecca Fisher, Marianne Pearch, and Barbara Skolnik. Mr. Charles Collins of 17 Empire Place, Greenbelt, was responsible for the outstanding decorations which showed up so well in colored photos on the front page of the Washington Post.

Francis Furgang, principal of Greenbelt Junior High School, oversaw the entire project, and made all the contacts with the Board of Education and the supervisors.

WHAT GOES ON

Fri., Mar. 6 City moves to new Municipal Building.

4 pm Poetry Hour, 4, 5, 6 Graders 1:55 p.m. Poetry Hour, 3rd Graders

Sat., Mar. 7, 3 p.m. Little League Registration, Youth Center

Mon., Mar. 9, 8 p.m. Band Rehearsal, Youth Center

Tues., Mar. 10, 8 p.m. Toastmaster's Meeting, Co-op Hospitality Room

Thurs., Mar. 12, 8 p.m. Arts and Crafts Guild Meeting, Twin Pines

High Point High Band Asked to Join "Rex", Mardi-Gras Parade

The High Point Band's marching received a signal honor at the Mardi Gras in New Orleans when they were requested to remain an extra day to march in the main parade, Rex, on Tuesday. This was the highest honor that could have been afforded the band which had been sent to the Mardi Gras on the personal invitation of Governor J. Millard Tawes to represent the state of Maryland in the celebration.

High Point's band marched in one of three parades on Sunday, February 10 and was selected from all the parades that were held during the previous week to participate in the main parade on Tuesday. Band members went sightseeing and took a boat trip down the Mississippi. The one hundred ten member group directed by Mr. Don Smith was transported to and from New Orleans by bus.

Sneak Preview of New Municipal Building Reveals an Efficient Well-planned Interior

by Elaine Skolnik

When City Manager James K. Giese invited a News Review reporter to a sneak preview of the new municipal building, little did he expect to find a trio of staffers waiting expectantly in his outer office last Friday morning at ten. If he were at all concerned by the invasion, he didn't show it a bit. In fact, he very gallantly listened to the explanation that "this was a tough story to cover and Elaine needed help . . . so reinforcements were sent, namely, Editor Mary Louise Williamson and Mary Smith." But our city manager is a perceptive and understanding man. With three words the truth was out in the open. Observed he: "Women are curious."

With the air cleared, we sprinted down to the two-story fully air-conditioned building located at 25 Crescent Road. We were just about to enter on the north side of the building when Mary asked, "Is this the front?" Mr. Giese's hand rubbed his chin while he thought for a moment and we knew that this was not a simple "yes" or "no" question. He explained, "Well-I-I, no, the main entrance, with double glass doors, is on the other side of the building facing Crescent, but the popular entrance will be on this side facing the parking lot." Now, this wasn't hard to understand — just like a GHI home. Hardly anyone uses the front door!

Police Privacy

The ground floor lobby is just inside the entranceway. Corridors lead to the city offices on the west end of the building and to the police station on the east end. We were immediately drawn (not forcibly, mind you) toward the east wing. The well-planned five rooms

that make up the police department afford the maximum amount of privacy. We all recall, with great distress, the many times when a policeman with a person in custody had to cross a crowded city council meeting room to reach his office.

Access to the new police station is gained from a corridor leading off the lobby and extending to an exit on the east side of the building. This exit will be used by the police officers and will not be a public exit or entrance. The door leading to the police quarters is electrically operated and will be kept closed at all times.

Sliding glass partitions will enable visitors as they come into the ground floor lobby to see and speak to the police dispatcher-receptionist on the east side and to employees of the city finance department on the west side. There will be no need to enter the finance office in order to pay bills.

Color Schemes

As Mr. Giese led us through the ground floor rooms, we noted the acoustic tiled ceilings, windows with venetian blinds, excellent lighting fixtures, and beige asbestos-vinyl floor tiles. Mary Lou was especially impressed with the color schemes of beige-pinks and soothing shades of green. Mr. Giese pointed out that the application of epoxy paint over cinder-block is an excellent means of wall protection. "This is the same process used at the Youth Center and we found it to be almost indestructible."

The finance office consists of a suite of three rooms. One houses the account clerks and the finance department files, and another the city treasurer. The third is for

Last Meeting of Council Held In Old City Offices

by Rita Fisher

The Greenbelt Shopping Center Association met with City Manager James Giese and members of City Council to discuss the suggestions which the businessmen felt would benefit the city as well as the business establishments.

The possibility of changing the name of Southway Road to Greenbelt Road was received favorably. Councilman Dave Champion noted that the present residents of Southway might be strongly opposed to a change of name. However, comments on the proposal from those who attended the meeting were favorable.

It was felt that having Greenbelt Road lead straight into Greenbelt would be an asset for reasons of geographical location and direction. It was further pointed out that the Municipal building would then be located at the foot of Greenbelt Road. The suggestion was referred to the Advisory Planning Board for study and action.

The businessmen also suggested that the parking signs at the Center were not noticeable enough to be of true value. Several businessmen pointed out that their patrons have complained about inconvenient parking facilities. One issue was the matter of the 90-minute parking signs. Actually, it was agreed, the 90-minute parking limit in the East parking lot could be set for 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. only. This matter was also recommended for further study to the Advisory Planning Board.

Insufficient lighting in and around the Center was another problem brought up at the meeting. Manager Giese commented that there are no funds available this year for any further lighting. He will discuss the matter of brighter lights and possible future lighting installations with an illuminating engineer.

The problem of disorderly juveniles in the Center lead to much discussion. Mayor Edgar Smith recommended that a committee be formed to look into the matter. It was stated that there is a group of professional men in Greenbelt now who meet to discuss the problems of troubled youths.

by Charles T. McDonald

The final meeting of Greenbelt City Council in its old quarters at 111 Centerway brought out a large number of citizens, but apparently for non-nostalgic reasons.

One group from Empire Place in Lakewood was on hand to petition Council for relief from the mud and silt that is washing down on their lots and walkways from the construction work going on in the "Boxwood" development. Recently the bulldozers were at work grading some of the areas for a proposed roadway and dug in the wrong area, hitting a water main. Before the cutoff valves could be located, large amounts of the excavated and fill dirt had washed through a green strip of land that separates the "Lakewood" subdivision from "Boxwood," and down over the yards of several Empire Place homes.

The petitioners want relief first, then a permanent solution to the problem, and finally, an answer as to who is going to pay for their damages and when. Council seemed to be in a quandary as to the City's responsibility in the matter and referred the subject to the City Manager and the City Solicitor, with assurance of the Manager that every effort would be made to keep the walks and roadway clean until a permanent remedy could be found.

A second group was on hand to support a petition for the continuance of a walkway from the Westway underpass walks at Crescent Road to the walkway along the tennis courts toward St. Hugh's School. This group was disturbed that the project had to be delayed until funds could be provided in the new 1964-65 budget.

A third group was present to hear the outcome of an item on the agenda dealing with the School Safety Patrol Program.

An article in the News Review recently reported a meeting called by the City Manager with the Chief of Police and the principals of the elementary schools on the subject of the Safety Patrol Programs. This article did not include the name of Sgt. Austin Green, who had been arranging the Safety Patrol Programs in Greenbelt for the past several years, and members of Council were asked why his name was omitted.

In reply to a series of questions by Mayor Edgar Smith, the City Manager gave a quite frank reply that no names of any appointed committee for a Safety Patrol program had as yet been published, and that he, the City Manager, was not satisfied with the handling of the several Safety Programs that had been put on since he came to Greenbelt. Therefore, he felt a Safety Patrol Program Committee was necessary.

The Council Committee on Traffic recommended that parking be prohibited along the south and southwest sides of Ridge Road between Research Road and Northway. An ordinance to that effect was proposed.

City Council set the wheels in motion for the formation of a Committee to place a plaque in the Youth Center Building honoring the contribution of the late Eli Don Bullian to the fund raising festivals for the Youth Center.

Fair Weather Brings Radar

Police Chief O'Brien told the News Review that with the onset of nice weather there will be an increase in the number of State and County radar units in the area. Time and location of their use will not be announced.

The speed limit in Greenbelt is 25 miles per hour unless posted otherwise. The police department asks the cooperation of all motorists in complying with the speed laws, not only for the protection of other motorists and pedestrians, but also for the motorist's own safety.

Radar, a scientific method of traffic speed enforcement, also is used in conducting surveys to determine what the speed limit should be.

City Offices

The tour continued with an inspection of the city offices located in the west wing. We walked through a corridor from the lobby which leads to a small waiting room and into the 4-room executive suite which houses the administrative offices.

We thought the oak panelling in the city manager's office most handsome. City council made the decision to enhance the office while Mr. Giese was out of town and pleasantly surprised him with the news upon his return.

After looking at the mechanical equipment room with its heating plant, hot water heater, telephone and electrical equipment, we climbed the tiled stairway to the first floor. At the top we passed through a lobby in which coat racks were provided. Pushing open double doors leading from the lobby we walked into the splendid council chambers which will seat at least 130 persons comfortably.

Council Chamber

Seventeen modern drop lights hang from the acoustic-tiled cathedral ceiling. Located attractively at the far end of the room is a platform backed by a stack-block wall of blue green, several shades deeper than the other chambers. (Continued on page 4)

Charles Schwan expressed the view that, from an economic standpoint, the savings of Twin Pines members, secured by some 300 homes in Greenbelt, could best be preserved by taking part in maintaining a stable community. During the coming months, said Schwan, a Human Relations Advisory Board could be of substantial help to the city council as well as to all the various Greenbelt organizations.

The resolution passed by a large majority in spite of vocal minority dissent and was sent to Mayor Edgar L. Smith for the city council.

Highlight of the meeting was when Charles Bresler, builder and a member of the Maryland House of Delegates told of plans for developing his vacant land between Edmonston Road and the Baltimore-Washington Parkway. (This was reported in some detail in last week's News Review.)

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Where Is Greenbelt Going?

As more and more of the plans for the vacant land in Greenbelt come off the drawing boards, it appears obvious to us that our concept of Greenbelt as a planned community differs widely from that of the developers.

Our concept, and one that we believe is shared by the majority of Greenbelt's citizens and officials, visualizes the future Greenbelt as a balanced community. There would be some apartment dwellings, some commercial zoning, some low-cost housing, some medium priced individual and duplex housing, and some high-quality free-standing homes.

Such a balance would provide the broad tax base needed to finance desirable city services. At the same time it would retain the present character of Greenbelt as a city primarily of homeowners who have a deep and abiding interest in the development of Greenbelt and its services.

Already this balance has been thrown out of kilter by the development of Springhill Lake Apartments, which may eventually house more people than presently live in Greenbelt. It is obvious that any further rental apartment and commercial zoning will further unbalance the community.

Yet the developers keep pushing their plans for high-rise and rental apartments. If these plans are adopted without change, about 80 percent of Greenbelt's eventual population will be living in rental dwellings, compared with 25 percent today.

The developers boast that this will make Greenbelt the most densely populated area in Prince Georges county . . . that such development will bring Greenbelt out of its isolation and provide its citizens with many new community services . . . that such development, as compared with that of individually-owned homes, will produce less of a burden on the city tax rate.

Has anyone asked whether such a metropolis is what Greenbelt residents want? Has anyone asked whether Greenbelt residents are so desirous of tax relief that they are ready to turn the rest of Greenbelt into a community like Langley Park consisting primarily of commercial strips and rental apartments? Has anyone asked Greenbelt citizens whether they are ready to accept the consequences of such development — traffic congestion, crowded schools, elimination of green spaces?

We think the developers would be well-advised to consult once again the Community Goals adopted by the city council on November 25, 1963. This document, prepared by the Advisory Planning Board as a guide for the future development of the city, calls for the preservation of Greenbelt as a residential community and for development to the maximum of individually-owned homes or apartments.

It can safely be predicted that failure to heed these objectives will find the developers faced with constant, endless opposition and and controversy along every step of the way.

NOTICE OF MOVING

The City Offices will be closed on Friday, March 6, 1964, in order that office furnishings can be moved to the new Municipal Building at 25 Crescent Road (Crescent and Southway). After that date all City Council meetings, administrative office and police department activities will be located in the new building.

New City Telephone

Effective March 6, 1964, various city departments will have new telephone numbers. Please consult your telephone directory or the following listing for the correct number.

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| Police Department | 474-5454 |
| Emergency calls | |
| Other police calls | |
| City Offices | 474-8000 |
| General information | |
| Refuse collection service | |
| City Clerk | |
| City Treasurer | |
| Purchasing Agent | |
| City Manager | 474-8003 |
| Recreation Department | 474-6878 |
| Warehouse | 474-8004 |

"WILDEST DREAMS"

To the Editor:

At a local group's meeting, last week, Charles Bresler gave citizens an outline of his views on the future development of Greenbelt. Mr. Bresler suggested that Greenbelt would become the metropolis of Prince Georges County - that it would grow "beyond your wildest dreams."

Mr. Bresler perhaps would be surprised to learn that his image of Greenbelt as a metropolis is not the image that many Greenbelters prefer to have. Greenbelters of our acquaintance, in fact, have often referred to our town as an "oasis" - that is to say, a quiet retreat from the metropolitan commotion which surrounds us.

We feel this points up the fact that many developers remain out of touch with the general feeling of the community they deal with, substituting their dreams for the dreams of the community.

Sidney O. Kastner

Recreation Review

by Richard Stevenson

The Greenbelt Poetry Club and the Recreation Department have joined hands in an attempt to further the aims and objectives of both organizations. Mrs. Donn, the present director of the Poetry Club, will continue her fine leadership. Watch this column for further notices concerning activities, programs and notices pertaining to the Poetry Club.

In the semi-finals of the Men's Basketball League playoffs, the Tobacco Shop walloped the BUSHIPS 72-38 to gain the finals. Ernie Black again led his team with 29 points for the winners. Jenkins and Winfield each scored 10 points for the losers.

Tonight, the Tobacco Shop and the Marylanders square off in a double-header in the best 2 of 3 playoff for the right to represent the City in the Greenbelt Invitational Tournament. For the best basketball in town, come on down to the Youth Center. The first game starts at 7:30 p.m.

Adult roller skating is held each Wednesday evening from 7:30 to 10 p.m. at the Youth Center. Bring your own skates or use ours. Have fun and enjoy yourself while you stay fit. Bring a friend.

The Concert Band still has openings for interested musicians. Contact Mr. Carle, the conductor, Mondays 8 p.m. at the Youth Center.

For information on these or any other recreation programs, contact the Recreation Department at 474-6878.

Community Church Speaker

Guest speaker in Greenbelt Community Church this Sunday will be Fletcher Lutz, a member of First Congregational Church of Washington, D. C. He was formerly Moderator of the Washington Association of Congregational Churches and is now a member of the Board of Directors of the Middle Atlantic Conference, chairman of Our Christian World Mission Committee for the Washington Area, and a member of the Committee on Re-Alignment in the United Church of Christ. He is also a trustee of the United Church Home in Silver Spring.

Mr. Lutz will speak on the responsibilities of each member and church to the work of Christ in Conference and Association.

Homemaker's Open House

The Co-op Homemaker's Open House will feature a meat demonstration on lamb, Friday March 13 at 10:30 a.m. in the Co-op Hospitality Room. Meat manager, Dick Carrigo will speak.

On Wednesday, March 18, at 10:30 a.m., Betty Burchette will once again demonstrate the technique of "Liquid Embroidery." Those who have the tri-chem paints please take them with you.

The Co-op Homemaker's Open House demonstration are a public service. Everyone is invited to attend.

IMPORTANT ZONING

To the Editor:

Recent issues of the News Review have done an excellent job of publicizing two important zoning matters.

The first is the Park & Planning Commission Staff Plan for the area between the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and NASA, and the second is Bressler's Plan for developing the area between Ridge Road and Baltimore-Washington Parkway. These two plans are indeed a study in contrast. The manner in which these matters are handled by the City Council may well determine the future of Greenbelt.

First, consider the facts surrounding the Planning Staff's proposal for the Parkway-NASA area. The plan for these 1600 acres is one of the first attempts by MNCPPC to thoroughly plan the development of a large tract of land. It is a logical and well thought out plan generated by professional planners. In preparing this plan, MNCPPC reduced the number of potential residents from almost 200,000 to 30,000, which is an 85% decrease. This is an average of 18.7 people per acre and is nearly comparable in overall density to the Lakewood development. In accomplishing this, the Planners included only 3.53 acres of high-rise apartments out of a total of 1600 acres.

On the other hand, the development proposed by Mr. Bressler between Ridge Road and the Baltimore-Washington Parkway certainly is no asset to presently developed Greenbelt nor to that portion of Greenbelt between the Capital Beltway and the Parkway - a portion which rightly deserves low density residential development. Mr. Bressler plans only apartments and commercial sites for this last, large, undeveloped parcel of land in Greenbelt, which is suitable for low-density housing.

Support from the citizens and the City Council for well conceived plans is just as important as vigorous opposition to ill conceived plans. If the City gives vigorous support to the MNCPPC staff plan, the County Commissioners may well use the plan to reject future high-density rezoning requests for other areas within the City. Without solid support from Greenbelt, the plan may not be supported by the County Commissioners, thus paving the way for future high-density spot zoning.

No one plan can ever be totally acceptable to all concerned. Dogmatic rejection of features in the Planning Commission's staff proposal certainly could prove shortsighted.

George Neumann

Thanks

To the Editor:

Many thanks to the Greenbelt Volunteer Rescue Squad for their kindness and consideration when they transported me to the hospital. I am an out-of-towner and was visiting a friend when I suddenly became ill. Greenbelt is very fortunate in having this service.

Mrs. Libby Ward

Citizen's Planning Group Protests Proposed Rezoning

Strong objection to the procedures being followed by the Prince Georges County Planning Board with respect to the 38 rezoning petitions for changes in the Glendale Road area east of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway was voiced at yesterday's hearing. The Prince Georges Citizens Planning Association, a recently formed private group, charged that affirmative action on these petitions would in effect adopt a master plan for some 1,600 acres without a public hearing on the proposal.

In a resolution adopted at its Feb. 27 meeting, the Planning Association said that drastic zoning changes are being proposed entirely on the basis of equally drastic changes in a not-yet-adopted Master Plan for the Greenbelt area. It urged that no zoning changes be considered until the Master Plan is presented to the public and adopted after full public hearings as required by law.

It described the process as a hollow mockery. "If a yet-to-be adopted plan is used as a basis for zoning changes, and those zoning changes then become the basis for adoption of the Master Plan."

The Planning Association stressed that the pending petitions are contrary to previous staff reports of the MNCP & PC, which called for low-density residential and detached home development. It quoted a 1964 staff report which stated that no evidence was found of a mistake in the original zoning. Furthermore, the staff report stated "there are but a few instances where there has been a sufficient change in the character of the area - caused by physical or zoning changes - to conceivably justify a requested classification."

The Planning Association, whose president is Irving Kator of Hyattsville, is composed of citizens from all parts of the county. It was formed in 1963 with the objective of reviewing zoning and land-use principles and procedures in Prince Georges county.

Arts and Crafts Guild Meets

The Greenbelt Arts and Crafts Guild will meet Thursday evening March 12 at 8 p.m. at the Twin Pines Savings and Loan office. More art exhibits will be planned, and the possibility of setting up workshops will be discussed. The Guild is open to all, and anyone interested is invited to attend the meeting.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Rev. Kenneth Wyatt, Minister

Friday: 4:00, Hi-J's meeting, supper, and social; special guest Mrs. Faith Drobish, former Missionary-Teacher in Turkey.

SUNDAY: Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m. with Fletcher Lutz, guest speaker. Church School at 9:30 for fifth grade through adults; at 10:45 for Nursery through fourth grade. 5:30 Buffet Supper and meeting of Church Council.

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WORSHIP SERVICE 11:00 a.m.

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11:00 a.m. Morning Worship 7:30 p.m. Evening Worship

8:00 p.m. Wednesday Midweek Service

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22 Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Maryland, GR. 4-4477
Edward H. Birner, Pastor, GR. 4-9200

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Our Neighbors

Elaine Skilnik - 474-6060

What wonderful news that Greenbelt Junior High was a Freedom Foundation winner! The school earned the coveted George Washington medal for the high-calibered political rally held during the last gubernatorial campaign. Greenbelt is indeed proud of this national honor won by its own school and its own sons and daughters. I was an on-the-spot observer at the impressive rally and applaud the entire school faculty - especially Mr. Peter Whittaker, advisor of the project - for their contributions in making the rally a meaningful experience for all the students.

It's a boy for Mr. and Mrs. James McVay, 53-P Ridge. James Stephen II was born February 8 weighing 7 lbs. 4 oz. A first child, he is the grandson of Mrs. Louise Daffron, 23-L Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawke, 10-L Plateau, proudly announce the birth of a daughter. February 14 was the all-important date.

It's a pink bundle for Mr. and Mrs. William Combs, 3-D Plateau. Deborah Ann made her debut February 16 weighing 6 lbs. 10 oz. She joins Sharon and Jeffrey.

Happy-birthday to Linda Dean, 6-T Plateau, who will be seven years old tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cookson, 16-S Ridge, are wintering in Opa Locka, Florida, and according to our Florida correspondent, Mrs. Gladys Long, are looking like millionaires. They are 76 and 79 years of age and wonderful for their years.

Glad to hear that Dr. Hans Wodak is recuperating so well.

George Kaufman and Marchal Fuller broke the winning streak of the Sid Barnett-Jack Sanders combine with a snappy .619 score at last Friday's duplicate bridge session. In second place were Lou and Lucille Lushine with a .539 game. Third place went to Ray Carriere and Sam Jacobs. Next game: Friday, March 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meier, 10-B Hillside, are proud grandparents for the first time. Daughter Beverly and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McDermott of Sanford, Florida announce the arrival of a son, Devin who weighed six pounds.

Former Greenbelter, William Klein, recently received a medal for his "valuable contribution to science through original research and distinguished authorship in the field of extended forecasting and dynamic climatology: Secretary of State Luther Hodges presented the award.

Our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Keer, 26 Lakeside, who lost her husband, Wash, several weeks ago. Condolences to Mrs. Thomas Freeman, Sr., 9 Lakeview, on the death of her mother, Mrs. Littlefield.

Girl Scout Notes

Junior Girl Scout Troop 95 held a Court of Awards last month with the theme of World Friendship.

The girls wrote their own two-act play about Girl Guides in other countries, and presented it with several members of the cast dressed in native costumes. The girls also baked cookies from foreign recipes and served them to their parents at the meeting.

Each Girl Scout received the World Friendship pin. The girls thus honored were Susan Perry, Janet Goldberg, Deborah Gilmore, Sharon Giddings, Ellen Levine, Helen Warner, Robin Bachtler, Pam Fountain, Rachel Wagner and Cathy Webb.

Next scheduled event is the cookie sale which begins March 13.

Mrs. Jack Lewis is leader of Troop 95 and Mrs. C. M. Kolbe is assistant leader.

According to Mrs. Lewis, there is a need for more leaders for the four levels of scouting in Greenbelt. Those interested should contact either Mrs. Lewis or Mrs. Kolbe.

Neighbor-to-Neighbor Easter Seal Campaign

The Neighbor-to-Neighbor Campaign for the Maryland Society for Crippled Children and Adults, successfully initiated last year, will be repeated in the Greenbelt area starting March 9.

Proceeds from last year's successful campaign were used to finance a brace fund for disabled children and adults of Prince Georges County who could not afford the full price of braces and appliances.

A part of the Easter Seal Campaign, the Neighbor-to-Neighbor approach being used in Greenbelt consists of a large routing envelope containing contributor envelopes and literature. On the outside of the envelope is printed the name of the Greenbelt court and the name of the person to be contacted when the envelope has made its rounds. This is a low-pressure approach - no-one appears at your door to make a request for funds, Examine literature at your leisure, make your contribution and pass the envelope on to your neighbor.

Volunteers interested in accepting responsibility for the routing and collection of these Neighbor-to-Neighbor envelopes in their court should contact Jackie Shabe GR 4-6993 or Rita Boyd GR 4-4972 or call the Prince Georges County Easter Seal Treatment Center, SPruce 3-7222.

LITTLE LEAGUE CHATTER

by "Dale" Parrish

Registration for boys within the 8 to 12 years of age group, who do not have contracts for Little League Baseball, will be held at the Greenbelt Youth Center on the following Saturdays, March 7, 14, and 21, between 12 Noon and 3 p.m. March 25 is the cut-off date, and no contracts will be awarded thereafter. Any boy who cannot make these dates should contact Bud Davis, President, 474-6025.

Our Spring Dance will be held on Friday, March 20, from 9 p.m. till 1 a.m., at the American Legion Hall. Tickets may be purchased from the Little League Managers. Coaches and Helpers are still needed for the Major and the Minor Little League Teams.

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Cub Scout Notes

Pack 202

All boys ages 8 to 10 are eligible to belong to a Cub Scout Pack and take part in Pack activities. Each month a new theme is introduced and the Den and Pack activities are programmed to stimulate and encourage the boys to develop in character and become a better citizens of tomorrow.

If you are interested in joining the Cub Scouts, you are invited to attend with your parents. The Pack 202 monthly meeting, Friday, March 20, 7:30 p.m., at the Greenbelt Community Church social hall. For further information telephone Mr. Fritz, GR. 4-6423.

Cub Scout Pack 202 enjoyed its annual Blue and Gold Banquet on Friday, February 21. Each Cub's Mother deserves special thanks for the preparation of the delicious menu. Everyone enjoyed a VIP activity report given by Bear T. Blaine; the flag folding demonstration by Den 1; the presentation of the Honor Unit Award by Den 2; and a report about Boy Scout Troop activities from Boy Scout C. Bordas, who recently graduated from our Cub Scout Pack. The following Cub Scouts received awards: G. Devlin - Wolf Silver Arrow; one year pin, Bear Badge; P. Edgin - Bear Badge, two year pin, Lion Book, Bear Gold and Silver Arrow; J. Leslie - Lion Badge, Lion Gold and Silver Arrow; J. Breashears - Lion Badge, Lion Gold and two Silver Arrows; B. Shifflett - Lion Badge, Lion Gold and Silver Arrow; M. Corbin - two year pin, Lion Badge; H. Berman - Lion Gold Arrow; F. Shifflett - Wolf Badge, Gold and Silver Arrow; T. Blaine, John Parker, Robert Mackert, and Cliff Bordas - One Year Pins.

Pack 746

Five members were honored with awards when Cub Scout Pack 746 held its Blue and Gold banquet Saturday, Feb. 29.

Patrick Happell was awarded the Wolf Badge and Wolf Gold Arrow, Steven Klinger the Bear Badge and Bear Gold Arrow, Joseph G. Klinger the Lion Badge, Bear Silver Arrow and two Lion Silver Arrows, David Haislip the Wolf Badge and Howard G. Hunt the Lion Badge.

Three new Cubs were brought into the Pack: Thomas Lew Kraeski, R. Danny Leech, and David Grego.

Winner of the Pinewood Derby race was Hoyt E. Matthai Runner-up was Raymond C. Dombrauskas.

Michael Chiville of Cub Pack 746 was one of 40 representatives of the Boy Scouts of America in Prince Georges County chosen to present pins to active leaders in scouting during Boy Scout week in February.

Michael presented VIP pins to three Nebraska Congressmen, Reps. Beerman, Cunningham and Martin, and to local Scout workers William J. Stevens and Philip Lustine.

Michael, 10½, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Chiville of Greenbelt.

There is a great need in the Greenbelt-Berwyn Heights area for new or used Cub Scout uniforms. Anyone with a uniform or part of a uniform that he would be willing to have another Cub use should call 474-6160. If any part of the uniform is in extra good shape, a price tag will be placed on it in the amount the present owner wishes to receive.

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

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ber walls. On stage the first and third Mondays of each month will be the city council players while Mr. Giese and the city secretary will perform off-stage center.

The floor is covered with cocoa marbelized, vinyl-asbestos tiles. At the rear of the room on the west wall is a fire exit from which an outside stairway runs to the ground.

From the first floor corridor we went into the east wing which houses 3 committee rooms and an office for the mayor and council. If and when it becomes necessary, the meeting rooms and the office can be utilized for the expansion of the city offices. The building is so designed that it will be possible to add an addition on the north side of the west wing of the building, extending towards the parking lot.

How do the city employees feel about the new building? Well, no official poll was taken, but of particular delight to employees was the news that the building would soon have custodial services, something that was not available in their old quarters. So, away with the mops and brooms, boys and girls!

With the tour at an end, Mr. Giese reminded us to tell our readers that the city offices will be closed on moving day - Friday, March 6.

Madden Wins Honor As Insurance Agent



Anthony Madden of Greenbelt, an agent for the Nationwide Insurance Companies, has earned membership in the exclusive 1964 President's Club for his outstanding sales achievement and service during the past year.

Only 51 agents among Nationwide's 6,700-man agency force won membership in the honorary club this year. This is the fifth year that Madden has qualified.

By becoming a member, Madden has been invited to take part in the sixth annual President's Club Conference to be held by Nationwide Insurance in New York City June 21-25. A highlight of the conference will be a visit to the World's Fair.

Festival Funds Distributed

The Greenbelt Festival Committee has distributed \$900.00 from the 1963 Youth Festival profits to youth groups in Greenbelt. Recipients are: 4-H Club, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Explorer Scouts, Teen Club, Fire Department Juniors, Fire Department Majorettes, Stepperettes (American Legion), Poetry Hour, Swimming Team, Babe Ruth Team, and the Marching Safety School Patrol.

A. A. U. W. To See "The Drop Out"

The College Park Branch of the American Association of University Women will meet at the Prince Georges County Regional Library on March 9 at 8 p.m. A film, "The Drop-Out" will be presented by Dr. Margaret Bott and a discussion will follow. Women College graduates are warmly welcomed by Mrs. Allan Chotiner, GR 4-5167.

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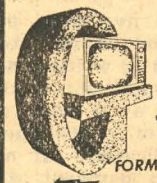
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